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EDUCATION

Bachelor of the Arts; Psychology (Focus: Gender Studies) December, 2019
Hunter College, City University of New York (CUNY)
New York, New York

GPA: 3.93 (Overall)

Honors Thesis: *Women's Studies and Feminism as Coping Strategies for Sexism Exposure.*

Advisor: Jennifer Ford, Ph.D.

HONORS

Dean's List, Hunter College (CUNY) New York, NY 2016-2019

Psi Chi Honor Society, Hunter College (CUNY) New York, NY 2019

Summa Cum Laude, Hunter College (CUNY) New York, NY 2019

Awarded Best Oral Presentation 2019
Psychology Honors Research Conference, Hunter College (CUNY) New York, NY

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Psycho-Oncology Laboratory Jan. 2019 - Present
Department of Psychology, Hunter College (CUNY)
New York, New York
Supervisor: Jennifer S. Ford, Ph.D

Dr. Jennifer Ford's program of research employs mixed methods to understand psychosocial and behavioral aspects of pediatric, adolescent and young adult cancer survivorship, with a focus on underserved survivor populations. Her research includes studies of health behaviors, survivorship clinic attendance, barriers to care including medical discrimination, psychosocial development and adaptation, psychosexual functioning, as well as the development and testing of evidence-based and distance-delivered behavioral and clinical interventions.

Role: Laboratory Manager May 2020 - Present
Responsibilities:

- Project management for three multi-method studies
- Development and management of multiple Institutional Review Board (IRB) applications
- Laboratory management, including hiring and supervision of undergraduate and masters research assistants, facilitating lab meetings and research related trainings
- Community partner networking and coordination
- Grant/budget/renumeration management

- Coordination of recruitment, screening, and scheduling
- Semi-structured interview and survey administration
- Survey creation and management using Qualtrics
- Quantitative data management using SPSS
- Qualitative data management using ATLAS.ti
- Qualitative coding and thematic analysis of large qualitative data sets for two studies using ATLAS.ti (including interrater reliability calculations)
- Qualitative codebook development
- Manuscript preparation and submission, and poster/presentation preparation and presentation

Role: Research Assistant

January 2020 - May 2020

Responsibilities:

- Journal reviewing under the PI's mentorship
- Preparation of concept proposals and grants
- Coordination of study design and protocol
- Coding and analysis of a large qualitative data set using ATLAS.ti
- Qualitative codebook development
- Manuscript preparation and submission, and poster/presentation preparation and presentation

Gender-Based Violence Laboratory

July 2019 - Present

Department of Psychology, Hunter College (CUNY)

New York, New York

Supervisor: Danielle S. Berke, Ph.D

Dr. Danielle Berke's program of research applies a culturally-informed, empirical lens to the study of how gender ideologies may lead to violent victimization and psychological impairment, particularly among sexual and gender diverse populations. Her research program leverages implementation science to identify risk and protective factors to inform intervention development and dissemination to prevent violence and treat its consequences.

Role: Laboratory Manager

October 2020- Present

Responsibilities:

- Project management for an R21
- Development and management of multiple Institutional Review Board (IRB) applications associated with each phase of the project (Qualitative Interviews and Intervention Development, and Intervention Implementation Trials)
- Laboratory management, including hiring and supervision of undergraduate and masters research assistants, facilitating lab meetings and research related trainings
- Management of lab website and social media
- Grant/budget/renumeration management
- Grant oversight, including the submission of Research Performance Progress Reports (RPPR) to the NIH
- Coordination of recruitment, screening, scheduling
- Semi-structured interview and survey administration
- Transcription
- Coordination and execution of rapid coding and analysis of qualitative interview data to inform tailoring of Empowerment Self-Defense (ESD) Intervention (including interrater reliability calculations)
- Qualitative codebook development

- Manuscript preparation and submission, and poster/presentation preparation and presentation

Role: Research Assistant

July 2019- October 2020

Responsibilities:

- Preparation of R21 grant proposal (funded)
- Institutional Review Board (IRB) application management
- Survey creation and management using Qualtrics
- Quantitative data management and analysis using SPSS
- Manuscript preparation and submission, and poster/presentation preparation and presentation

Honors Thesis

Jan. 2019 - Dec. 2019

Department of Psychology, Hunter College (CUNY)

New York, New York

Women's Studies and Feminism as Coping Strategies for Sexism Exposure

Advisor: Jennifer S. Ford, Ph.D

This honors thesis was independently designed and run under the supervision of Dr. Ford and presented at the Psychology Honors Research Conference at Hunter College in December, 2019. The project aimed to explore relationships between cis women's participation in a women's studies class and psychological health outcomes.

Responsibilities:

- Literature reviews
- Thesis conception and design
- Development and management of multiple Institutional Review Board (IRB) application
- Coordination of acquiring academic stakeholders, recruitment, and survey administration
- Survey development
- Quantitative data collection, entering/coding, and management
- Quantitative data management and analysis using SPSS
- Manuscript/presentation preparation

Laboratory for Youth Cognition and Suicide

Apr. 2019 – Feb. 2020

Department of Psychology, Hunter College (CUNY)

Department of Psychiatry, Lincoln Medical Center

New York, New York

Supervisor: Regina Miranda, Ph.D, Dr. Ana Ortin, Ph.D

Dr. Regina Miranda's program of research uses quantitative and qualitative methods to better understand why young people think about and attempt suicide in a way that can inform assessment, treatment, and prevention of suicide risk. Her research focuses specifically on suicide among underserved populations in the Bronx area.

Role: Research Assistant

Responsibilities:

- Lab social media posting
- Literature reviews
- Survey creation and management using Qualtrics and REDCap
- Coordination of screening and scheduling
- Recruitment of participants from Emergency Department of Lincoln Medical Center

- Administration of WASI, WRAT-5, DISC, and high-risk assessments
- Semi-structured interview and survey administration
- Transcription
- Quantitative data entry and management using SPSS
- Manuscript preparation

Huselid Laboratory

Jan. 2019 - Jan. 2020

Department of Psychology, Hunter College (CUNY)

New York, New York

Supervisor: Rebecca Farmer Huselid, Ph.D

Dr. Rebecca Farmer Huselid’s program of research studies the effects of gender, race, religion and acculturation on physical health, psychosocial adjustment, and achievement.

Role: Research Assistant

Responsibilities:

- Literature reviews
- Qualitative coding and thematic analysis
- Gender-based emotion perception experiment administration
- Facilitating research related trainings of undergraduate lab members for experiment administration
- Paper and presentation preparation

PUBLICATIONS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

Peer-Reviewed Publications and Book Chapters

1. Ahmad, Z. N., Benedict, C., **Hotchkiss, M.**, & Ford, J. S. (2021). Psychological Symptoms and Patterns of Mobile Application Use for Young Adult Cancer Survivors. *Psycho-Oncology*.

POSTERS & PRESENTATIONS

1. Huselid, R., & **Hotchkiss, M.** (2019, April). *Religious Discrimination, Adjustment and Friendships of Muslim & Jewish Students*. Paper presentation at the annual Hunter College Psychology Convention, New York, NY.
2. Ahmad, Z., **Hotchkiss, M.**, Maria, Z., Loschiavo, M., Ford, J. S. (2021, May). *Perceptions of Access to Onco-Fertility Care and Family-Building among Black and Latina Young Adult Female Cancer Survivors*. Poster presentation at the 3rd Annual SPEECH Regional Cancer Health Disparity Conference, Virtual.
3. **Hotchkiss, M.**, Ahmad, Z. N., & Ford, J. S. (2021, April). *Peer-to-Peer Connection in the Context of Adolescent and Young Adult Cancer: A Qualitative Exploration*. Poster Presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's 2021 Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions, Virtual
4. Ahmad, Z. N., **Hotchkiss, M.**, Rey, E., & Ford, J. S. (2021, April). *Body Image and Physical Ability Among Adolescent and Young Adult Survivors of Cancer*. Poster Presentation at the Society of Behavioral Medicine's 2021 Annual Meeting & Scientific Sessions, Virtual

5. Ahmad, Z. N., **Hotchkiss, M.**, Gladstone, A., & Ford, J. S. (2021, March). *Adolescent and Young Adult Cancer Survivors' Gratitude and Coping through Acceptance*. Poster Presentation at the Annual American Psychosocial Oncology Society, Virtual
6. **Hotchkiss, M.**, Palatnik, J., Weinberg, W., & Berke, D. S. (2020, November). *Evaluating the Impact of a Pilot Empowerment Self-Defense Program Integrated in a University Counseling Center*. Poster Presentation at the Association of Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies 54th Annual Convention, Philadelphia, PA
7. **Hotchkiss, M.** (2019, December). *Women's Studies and Feminism as Coping Strategies for Sexism Exposure*. Oral Presentation at the Psychology Honors Research Conference, New York, NY.
*Awarded Best Oral Presentation.

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

**Lenox Hill Neighborhood House,
Women's Mental Health Shelter**
New York, New York

Jan. 2019 - March 2020

- Mindfulness group and activity facilitation
- Preparation of guided meditations
- Provision of support to 50+ shelter attendees through coping skills and mindfulness practice
- Coordination with shelter employees and program donors
- Coordination of shelter events for holidays
- Paused due to COVID-19

MENTORED AD-HOC JOURNAL REVIEWER

- Annals of Behavioral Medicine
- British Journal of Cancer
- Children
- International Journal of Behavioral Medicine
- Journal of Cancer Survivorship
- Journal of Clinical Oncology
- Journal of Pediatric Blood and Cancer
- Journal of Psycho-Oncology

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Society of Behavioral Medicine (SBM), Transitional Membership, 2021

SOFTWARE EXPERTISE

Other Competencies:

- Qualtrics
- REDCap
- SPSS
- ATLAS.ti
- DeDoose